

Henry C. Smith LANDS & LOANS

240 Acre Farm Southeast of Hiawatha.

The farm is 1 1/2 miles of a good town of about 350 population on a railroad. Land consists of gently rolling up land with a small creek flowing through the east 80 acres entering near the northwest corner and going out about 10 rods north of the south line. There is some timber along this creek, string spring furnishing water for pasture which never has been known to run dry. About 60 acres are in cultivation now. About 40 acres are in clover and timothy meadow. 15 acres are in cattle and hog pasture fenced with Page fence, 15 acres cow pasture for milk cows, with shade and water. 4 acres in orchard. 1 acre in grapes, raspberries, blackberries and strawberries. Balance of land in building site and roads. The fences are nearly all as good as new—having been rebuilt within the past two years. Good grove on west and north of buildings furnishing shade for poultry in summer and storm protection in winter.

Buildings—Good 6 room house with cemented cellar under house. Barn for 10 horses and 4 cows with hay loft, holding about 5 tons of hay and an implement shed adjoining. Cattle and hay shed 25x30 feet with board roof and room for 15 ton of hay. Hog house 12x40 feet board roof. Corn crib 12x20 feet, board roof and shed adjoining also board roof. 2 hen houses. Shop for small tools and work bench. Cemented water reservoir about 14 feet in diameter and 12 feet deep with under ground pipe to tank in feed lot. Two wells and wind mills supplying the reservoir with water. 5 ton wagon scales. Good terms, might take 80 acres as part pay—long time.

HUMBOLDT.

Mrs. J. G. Simmons was quite sick the first of the week.

Ross Brockman is enjoying a visit with Lincoln friends this week.

Rev. L. R. Smith is in attendance at the General Assembly in Lincoln this week.

A. L. Drake, who was critically ill last week with brain fever, is slowly improving.

Rev. Bert Wilson is attending the Christian church convention at Bethany this week.

T. J. Frazier and wife of Joplin, Mo., are guests of Mr. Frazier's sister, Mrs. J. A. Murphy.

Mrs. Will Crawford of Kearney is here visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Tina Crawford.

Linn, the little son of Otis Unkefer and wife, was reported seriously ill the middle of the week.

Bessie Little visited friends and attended the chautauqua in Pawnee City the last of the week.

S. M. Philpot and wife are expected home this week from an extended tour of the eastern states.

John Gergens has recently purchased the Young farm near Stella, possession to be given next spring.

Emma Frank of Quincy, Ill., is being entertained this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Tanner.

Daisy Morris left Friday for a short visit with her brother, Joe, who has employment at Ness City, Mo.

J. K. Liggett and wife went over to Pawnee City Friday and spent several days with a sister of Mr. Liggett's.

Harry Philpot, who has been employed near St. Joseph for several weeks, returned to Humboldt Thursday.

Ollie Wilson left the last of the week for Lincoln, having secured employment in one of the stores of the capitol city.

Wayne Coons is a guest of Humboldt friends. He has been attending summer school in Lincoln for several months.

Olive Petrashek returned home Friday from Lincoln, where she has been attending summer school for the past six weeks.

Mrs. L. M. Billings was down from Table Rock the fore part of the week, visiting at the home of Chris Rist and wife, south of town.

Viva Cook, who had been visiting for several weeks with her cousin, Mrs. M. C. Shurtleff, left Thursday for her home at Edgar, Neb.

Mrs. Martin Paulson and baby arrived in the city Tuesday from Ft. Crook, Neb., for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Murphy.

Mrs. Laura Monesmith and daughter, Minnie, moved their household effect to Pawnee City Tuesday, where they will reside in the future.

Victor Barnegrover and sister, Marguerite, are here from Lincoln, visiting at the home of their grandparents, J. Rock Williamson and wife.

Mrs. Lon Davis and children who have been here for some time visiting J. H. Smith and wife, left Tuesday for their home at Tonkawa, Okla.

Bertha Frank returned home Sunday evening from a two weeks visit with Mrs. Doll Wood at Elk Creek, and Mrs. R. J. Hnizda in Table Rock.

Sarah Edie, who is teaching a summer class in the business department of the Pawnee City academy, spent Sunday with home folks in Humboldt.

E. A. Tucker, a former well known resident of this city now located at Los Angeles, Cal., arrived here Thursday for a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Ray Gist.

Mabel Carnes is taking a two weeks vacation from her duties as clerk in the Boyd & Lyford general merchandise store, and is spending the time with friends in Lincoln.

Al Hales resigned his position as city water commissioner at a recent meeting of the city council, and W. J. Davis was appointed in his place, at a salary of \$60 per month.

Estella Williamson has returned home from a two weeks visit with friends at York and Ulca, this state, and is again employed as hello girl at the telephone central office.

Hattie Dorland, Lillian Thompson, Ethel Shultz and Ruby Bash compose a party, who are camping at the Christian church convention, which is being held in Bethany, this week.

Fred Fisher is making preparations to move his barber shop to the Frazier building, on the north side of the square. Mr. Fisher and wife will occupy the upper rooms as a residence.

Mrs. H. F. Gulle left Monday for a visit with friends and relatives in Lincoln. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mabel Gulle, who had been visiting in Humboldt for a couple of weeks.

F. W. Gutzmer has sold his fine farm north of town to John Siler for the consideration of \$18,000, possession to be given next spring. Mr. Gutzmer and family are making plans to move to their farm in Kansas.

Otis Hunter and wife arrived in the city Monday for a visit with the latter's parents, F. M. Williamson and wife. Both Mr. Hunter and his wife have accepted employment with the H. P. Hillman theatrical company.

R. L. Hoff and wife, who have been spending a greater part of the summer in Lincoln, returned to their home in this city Friday. Mr. Hoff has been taking a special course in laboratory work at the state university, while Mrs. Hoff has been taking advanced lessons in oil painting.

The town was filled Tuesday with a crowd of base ball enthusiasts, from this and neighboring towns, the attraction being the big ball game between Humboldt and Tecumseh, a purse of \$500 being advertised for the winning team. Betting was forbidden on the grounds by the mayor, but it is said, nevertheless, considerable money changed hands on the side. The band boys met the two teams at the park hotel and escorted them to the ball park. The players were evenly matched and an exciting game was the result, but the score card at the close stood 1 to 0 in favor of Tecumseh. The band gave an open air concert in the city park in the evening.

STELLA.

Edith Kerns of Rulo will teach the Oak Grove school the coming year.

Leslie Davidson, residing north of town, has purchased a new threshing outfit.

Charley and Sarah Gates of Nelson have been the guests of H. C. Fankell and family this week.

Sam Johnson has purchased a residence in Kansas City and he and his wife expects to move there the coming month.

Lee Gentry, wife and children are here from Maple, Kansas, for an extended visit at the home of his parents south of town.

Thomas & Martin have sold their stock of general merchandise to M. Barstler & Sons of Burr who have been here this week invoicing.

Gladys Young was eight years old Monday and the event was celebrated at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Montgomery, by a surprise party.

Verne Davis has sold his barber shop at this place to Eli Knapp who has already taken possession. Mr. Davis expects to go west and seek a location.

S. Withcraft has sold a half interest in his restaurant business to his brother-in-law, E. E. Whitney, of Summerfield, Kans., who has been here for some time.

At a meeting of the business men in the Utes club rooms last Tuesday evening it was decided to hold a fraternal picnic again this year. No date was decided upon but will probably be the last of August.

Lydia Marts and F. W. Eaton were married at the home of her parents, F. G. Marts and wife, on Wednesday, July 24th. They will make their home at Edgemont, S. D., where he is a master mechanic for the Burlington.

John Thomas sold his farm north of town last Friday to Arthur Williams for \$77.00 per acre. Mr. Thomas expects to locate in Holt county. His father, the late Davie Thomas, came from Wisconsin and settled on this farm in 1859.

Quinton Stump and wife of Verdon have moved to Tom Cunningham's farm south of town where they will reside. Pearl Cunningham, who has been keeping house for her father for some time expects to go to Lincoln to take a two years' course in the Green Gables sanitarium for a nurse.

St. Martha's Guild of the Episcopal Church will give one of their delightful teas at the residence of P. H. Jussen, Wednesday Aug. 7th, from 5:30 until 8 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

VERDON.

Cap Saylor was on the sick list last week.

Tom Quiggle was a county seat visitor Monday.

Mrs. Will Cook spent Friday at the county seat.

Vincent Arnold visited Falls City on Friday last.

Mr. Bruhn and son were county seat visitors Tuesday.

J. W. Stump was a county seat visitor Wednesday.

Ralph Miller was a Dawson visitor Saturday night.

George Kesley was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Florence Hull was on the sick list the first of the week.

Mr. Knapp of Nemaha was here a short time Wednesday.

Ethel Cook attended the chautauqua at Falls City Thursday.

Fred Gibson was on the sick list the latter part of the week.

Will Batterall of St. Joe visited O. P. Veal and family last week.

Dr. Griffith and wife were Falls City visitors Wednesday night.

Z. McNulty came up from Horton Tuesday to visit relatives.

Will Fisher and wife made a business trip to Falls City Friday.

H. N. Timmerman and wife were Falls City visitors last Friday.

Clara Masengale and Sylvia Carmack went to Falls City Saturday.

John Allenbaugh of Falls City visited his mother, Mrs. Boatman Monday.

Corra Fasteneau of Nebraska City is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Leefers.

Jake Neifert returned to Atchison Sunday after a short visit to relatives here.

Mrs. L. A. Kinsey of University Place is visiting friends here this week.

Mrs. Lucy Cornell went to Falls City Monday to visit her daughter, Mrs. McManus.

Scott Saylor was up from Falls City Wednesday looking after his business interests.

Edna Wheatley of Lincoln is visiting Edna Parsons and other friends here this week.

Miss Chamberlain came in from out west on a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. Zook.

Mrs. Dave Davies and children of Falls City visited relatives here a part of last week.

Florence Dougherty and Muriel Stewart attended the Falls City chautauqua Saturday.

Mrs. Kate Burris of Falls City arrived Friday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Rosa Allison.

Mrs. Verne Taylor and son of Dawson spent the first of the week with Mrs. James Ayers.

Henry McNulty and daughter, Sadie, of Axtell, Kans., visited Will Goolsby and family last week.

Mrs. Roy Swisegood and little daughter went to Falls City Monday evening to attend the chautauqua.

Mr. Boatman and wife were called to Auburn Sunday by the serious illness of the former's brother.

Mrs. Allie Watson and son, Otho, of Falls City spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. M. D. Lum.

Julia Fraunfelder and Alice Hassen-yager attended chautauqua at Falls City the latter part of the week.

Fay Simmons shipped cattle to Kansas City Tuesday evening. He was accompanied by Ernest Overton.

O. P. Veal and G. D. Knapp and wife were entertained at the country home of H. J. Kiel and wife Sunday.

Minnie Allison went to Falls City last week to visit her sister, Mrs. A. R. Goolsby and to attend chautauqua.

Laura Henselman and Anna Frauenfelder returned home Friday, after spending several days at the Falls City chautauqua.

J. S. Yates and son, Ralph drove over from Dawson Wednesday night to meet his son, Aubrey who has been attending school at Peru.

W. S. Byerly and son, Rex, W. C. Sloan, W. D. Corn, George Goolsby, Clyde Lum, George Kesley, Henry Corn and Fred Gibson attended the ball game at Humboldt Tuesday.

Charley Moran, Arthur Gardner, Dick Smith, Fred Douglas, Glen Dougherty, Everett Chrouch, Dave Clark, Gorman Heineman, Geo. Kesley, Lou Parsons, Norman and John Heinzelman were Falls City visitors Friday.

BARADA.

Mrs. C. F. Kuker drove to Falls City on Tuesday.

Jessie Wolf took a load of berries to Falls City Tuesday.

Mr. Tilmer of St. Deroine was seen on our streets Monday.

C. H. Martin and wife visited the county seat on Thursday.

Mesdames Lela and J. D. Mitchell drove down to the city Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Raines visited friends in Falls City several days last week.

George Fogle of Verdon was a business caller in Barada on Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Ebel and daughter, Bertha, visited the county seat on Friday.

Guy Wheeler of Shubert hauled over a load of ice for J. D. Walker Friday.

Homer Sallors and family of Stella visited his parents Saturday and Sunday.

Otto Gitz, wife, and Mrs. Goolsby were visiting Henry Summery's on Monday.

Mrs. J. D. Mitchell and children of Detroit, Kansas, are visiting relatives at this place.

Mrs. J. F. Stong is enjoying a visit from her mother, Mrs. W. A. Barker of Mt. Zion, Ia.

Willie McGowan and Hazel Dunn drove to Falls City Monday to attend the chautauqua.

John Langdon and wife left on Friday for a short visit with relatives in Kansas City, Mo.

W. C. Fahr from Verdon was over and purchased a fine horse of Wm. Kuker on Monday.

Jessie Cox and Ray Williams went to Falls City Saturday to the chautauqua, returning Sunday.

Dr. Van Osdel was in Falls City Thursday to attend the Richardson county medical society.

L. H. Morehead and C. H. Martin went to Shubert on Monday to contract for the lumber for the new school house.

Mrs. James Graham who has been ill with appendicitis is now improving steadily under the efficient care of Dr. J. F. Stong.

R. J. Dunn, wife and daughter, Lottie, and Frank Butler and wife went to Falls City on Monday to attend the chautauqua.

W. A. Cox went to Bancroft, Neb., Thursday and returned Saturday accompanied by his daughter, Dora, who has been visiting at that place.

Pearl Van Osdel returned this week from her visit at Rockport, Mo. She was accompanied by Miss Johanna Fahsler who will visit friends here for some time.

D. E. Spickler took a load of hogs to Kansas City on Monday. Mrs. Spickler went down on Tuesday and together they will take in the sights of the city for a few days.

George Furst had the misfortune to fall from a load of hay the latter part of the week and break three ribs. Dr. Van Osdel is the attending physician and reports that Mr. Furst is getting along as nicely as could be expected.

PRESTON.

Mrs. Effa Kramer went to Hiawatha Friday.

J. R. Shelly was a Falls City visitor Monday.

E. Dowty was a county seat visitor Saturday.

Ethel Jackson returned from Hiawatha Monday.

Maurice McMahon was a county seat visitor Sunday.

L. D. McCumber was a county seat visitor Friday.

Mrs. John Morris was a passenger to Falls City Tuesday.

Mrs. H. P. Reiger and children were passengers to Rulo Sunday.

C. T. Glaze and family attended the chautauqua at Falls City Tuesday.

Misses Ella Anderson and Myra Bush were Hiawatha visitors Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mable Veach of Champion, Neb., is visiting with relatives here at this writing.

Mrs. Tracy Courtright returned home Wednesday from a few days visit with relatives in Missouri.

Lina and May Wilson returned to their home in Wymore Friday from a visit with relatives and friends here.

RULO.

Carl Simons was a Falls City visitor Sunday.

Ted McLealan was in Falls City Sunday.

Della Martin is assistant telephone girl at this time.

Mrs. Graham has been poorly for several days past.

Ruth Leeds of Falls City is visiting in this city this week.

Grandpa Kernad has been very sick for the past few days.

Ruth Kanaly is clerking in J. W. Brown's grocery store.

John Darveau was a Falls City visitor the last of the week.

Sam and Hope Ward attended chautauqua Tuesday evening.

Pearl Anderson is visiting in Kansas near Hiawatha this week.

Jerry Horan is working with the concrete gang west of town.

Mary Stroud of Falls City is visiting relatives in Rulo this week.

F. E. Kulp of Wymore spent several hours in this city Thursday.

Charlie Scott of Kansas was a Rulo visitor the first of the week.

Chas. Grizer of Fortescue was a Rulo visitor Monday of this week.

E. C. Walbridge of Falls City was a business visitor at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorste were chautauqua visitors Tuesday evening.

George King was a business visitor in Rulo last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Celey moved his family into John Kanaly's house Thursday.

J. E. Lelive of Brenner was a Rulo visitor several days last week.

Dallas Jones of White Cloud, Kans., was a Rulo visitor last Sunday.

Will and John Cornell of Goff, Kas., were Rulo visitors last Saturday.

Jerry McCowan of Fortescue was a business visitor in Rulo Tuesday.

Tom White of Seneca, Kans., was a Rulo visitor the first of the week.

W. J. Cunningham finished stacking seventy acres of wheat last week.

John Dunn of Rushbottom was shopping in Rulo the last of the week.

John Anderson and family of Kansas visited with Rulo friends Tuesday.

Julia Cronin spent several days last week visiting relatives in Falls City.

Lena Caverzagie and Pearl Martin were shoppers in Falls City Tuesday.

Charlie Scott and family of Kansas spent Friday with friends in this city.

Uncle George Harris is dangerously sick, he is paralyzed from the waist down.

Battle Hart of St. Joseph arrived in Rulo Monday to spend her two weeks vacation.

Floyd Spicer of Belview, Neb., arrived in Rulo last Thursday to spend some time.

S. W. Cunningham took a bunch of fine young mules to his farm in Missouri last Friday.

Chester Clement of Wymore was a pleasant visitor in Rulo between trains Tuesday morning.

Prof. Witman returned from Kansas City last week very sick but is now able to be around.

Mrs. Willis Carpenter has been very sick for the past week but is much better at this time.

Mr. Walters and family returned on Tuesday from a visit with his daughter in White Cloud.

The Missouri river has fallen so much that Mr. Graham has resumed business at the ferry.

James Hosford was very sick the latter part of last week but is much improved at this time.

The city is putting in a substantial arched rock culvert eight feet in length north of the lively barn.

J. A. McDonald shipped a car load of hogs and two of cattle to Kansas City one night last week.

Mrs. Dan Ratkin and little daughter, Hazel, were visiting with Falls City friends one day last week.

J. H. Merriam of Lincoln was in Rulo last Friday testing and adjusting the water gauge on the river bridge.

Mrs. Francis Witman has been on the sick list for several days, but is slightly improved at this writing.

Carl Leeds who has been visiting his grandparents at this place for the past ten days returned recently to his home in Falls City.

J. B. Gilarida came in Sunday with his concrete gang and will put in a concrete culvert for the Burlington west of town.

Mrs. Adaline Scott of Kansas arrived in town the first of the week for a several weeks visit with relatives and old friends.

Worth Anderson of Kansas visited le Rulo Friday. His daughter who has been visiting here for the past two weeks accompanied him home.

Mr. Huss of Horton, Kas., was visiting old friends in Rulo last week. Mr. Huss' health is failing fast, his son-in-law, Charles Foltz, accompanied him.

John Dunn has moved the scales from Plante's corner, cleaned up the scattered brick and greatly improved the looks of things around the place.

Mrs. Sherman Hays has purchased the restaurant of Mrs. Swainforth, which she owned on Main street, and is now prepared to cater to the public.

Ella Carpenter and Anna Mahon drove to Kansas Friday night. They took in the Hiawatha street fair Saturday and visited friends in the country a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Frederick and baby returned to their home in Preston Wednesday of last week. They came down to attend the funeral of their little niece.

Dr. Houston of Falls City was called to Rulo Tuesday in consultation with Dr. Henderson for Herman Kleopfel's two children who have been very sick for some time.

Wm. Johnson of this city has in his possession a National fourth reader, published by A. S. Barnes & Co., of New York and Chicago, 1873. The book is in perfect condition.

Paul McDonald fell out of a hammock one day last week and sustained some painful bruises on his arm and shoulder; but no bones were broken and he has almost recovered.

Mrs. Theodore Anderson who has been in Kansas taking treatment from Hiawatha specialist returned home Tuesday much improved, and hopes to be strong again in a few months.

At their regular meeting last Friday night the Degree of Honor lodge initiated nine new members into the mysteries of this organization. A short intermission was given to welcome the members. Lodge closed in due form, after which ice cream and cake were served and a short time spent in a social way.

On Wednesday of last week while a large herd of cattle were being driven to the stock pens from the bottoms north of town, between the strange herders and the heat the cattle became uncontrollable and a general stampede was the result. Fences were broken, yards and gardens trampled and several people had narrow escapes from injury. Mrs. Henry Scott was knocked down but fortunately not badly injured. At least two cattle were killed and after getting out those that were ready for market it took several days to collect the